

## CROWDS GREET GOV. WILSON

DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE GIVEN  
OVATION AT EVERY STOP  
IN MASSACHUSETTS.

## TOPICS ARE VARIED

PLEASED WITH RECEPTION TENDERED IN NEW ENGLAND.

## HE MEETS TAFT IN BOSTON

Hearty Greetings Are Exchanged at  
First Meeting of Candidates Since  
Opening of the Campaign.

### Wilson and Taft Meet.

Boston, Sept. 26.—President Taft and Governor Woodrow Wilson met for the first time since the campaign started at a hotel here late tonight. They greeted each other heartily and chatted for several minutes.

Fall River, Mass., Sept. 26.—Governor Woodrow Wilson found the people of Massachusetts who greeted him today as enthusiastic and demonstrative as any he has met since he began campaigning.

Great crowds turned out at a Springfield, Mass., where the governor made scheduled speeches, but along the way his reception was practically continuous. People pressed to the rear of the train and stretched their hands upward to him, wishing him success. Crises for buttons were insisted on and the governor himself helped to pass them to the crowd.

The nominee covered a variety of topics in his speeches, including the tariff, questions affecting monopoly and governmental assistance to farmers. At the county fair at Barre he made a brief speech, alloting most of his time to shaking hands. He said tonight he felt deeply pleased at the friendship he has struck up with the people.

The governor reached Fall River on a special train at 7:45 tonight. Fireworks and torches illuminated the streets as he motored to the hotel where he spoke for nearly an hour to an enthusiastic crowd.

### Predicts Democratic Congress.

At the outset of his speech he set forth the democratic party "was the only organized team" ready to govern the country and that neither the republican nor progressive parties would control congress in any event. He predicted that in all probability there would be a democratic house and senate and added that the leaders of the third party if elected, would be "as successful as the present president of the United States."

"I mean no disrespect," said the governor, "but all the measures passed by both houses and intended for the voters who are the buyers of the country, have been vetoed. Our president occupies a post of resistance, for he hasn't any team, and the only president you can associate with a team is a democratic president. I don't know what kind of a captain I would make, I'm going to pretend that the democratic president will be successful. All can say is that he will have a team."

He added that the country, unless electing a democratic executive, would face "two or four years more of disagreement with the legislative branch of the government and that if the progressive party won, there might be an interesting four years, but not fruitful."

### Democratic Platform for Labor.

Outlining the democratic platform, he argued that none except the democratic platform showed an intention of assisting organized labor. He declared that in the matter of organization, labor had an equal fight with capital and that industries protected by the tariff has been most persistent in fighting organized labor.

Governor Wilson and party left Fall River at 9:20 o'clock tonight for Boston.

### TWO CANDIDATES MEET.

President Taft and Governor Wilson Exchange Greetings.

Boston, Sept. 26.—It was Governor Woodrow Wilson and President Taft together tonight after the banquet of the International Congress of Chambers of Commerce where the president made his speech. Governor Wilson had arrived a half hour earlier to spend the night at the same hotel and expressed a desire to pay his respects to the president. For a few minutes secretaries and members of the banquet committee were busy and the meeting soon was arranged.

The corridors of the hotel were jammed with men and women who had attended the banquet and the democratic candidate made his way with difficulty, shaking hands as he went to the elevator and visited the president in the latter's room.

The governor and the president exchanged greetings and both laughed.

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## HILLES SCORES THE DEMOCRATS

NATIONAL REPUBLICAN CHAIRMAN  
TAKES ISSUE WITH WILSON  
ON THE TARIFF.

## SAYS QUESTION IS DODGED

Not in Any of Democratic Speeches  
Has There Been Made a Clear  
Definition.

Beverly, Mass., Sept. 26.—Chairman Hilles of the republican national committee, after a day with President Taft and New England republican leaders, issued a statement tonight taking issue with Governor Wilson and declaring his views on free trade and protection were to be measured by the effect upon business conditions. Mr. Hilles said in part:

"I see it is intimated by Governor Wilson that the republican party is trying to evade discussion on the tariff. It seems to me that in that respect the boot is on the other leg. I have yet to find in the democratic speeches a definition of what they propose to do in regard to the tariff, if they control the government. There have been a great many platitudes uttered and pious expressions uttered of interest to the working man but it has not yet been pointed out how they propose a revision of the tariff to a revenue point without injury to existing industries."

"In my opinion this is the vital question which the democratic candidates must face before the campaign is closed, and is the issue upon which the thousands of democratic business men who voted for President Taft four years ago will be found voting for him again this fall. The essential question is not whether any of us would like to see the consumer benefited by tariff reductions, but how we propose to make these reductions without injury to labor and to American business enterprises. The real question to the business community is not as to abstract merits of free trade or protection, but what effect will be produced upon business conditions by radical changes in the existing tariff."

### Puts Question to Opponents.

"The question should answer the question clearly and definitely, whether they propose to so far reduce existing tariff duties as to bring foreign goods into effective competition with American goods of the same character and thereby to increase imports. If they do not mean it their platitudes about tariff reform are a fraud and a delusion upon the American people. If they do mean it, then certain American interests must suffer. Demand for certain goods cannot be shifted from the American producer to the foreign producer without compelling the American producer to slacken his mill wheels, reduce his payroll and dismiss some of his men."

"Entirely apart from the question whether free trade as defined in the economic text books would be a good thing for a country operating in a vacuum, the fact must come home to the workingman as well as to the business community that if radical tariff changes are to be effective, there must be a long period of painful transition. Tariff changes will be either to increase imports of competitive articles or they will not. If they will not, then the cost to consumers will not be reduced materially. If they increase imports, they will correspondingly reduce the demand for American made goods and certain mills will be put on short time, men will be laid off and ultimately costly investments in plants and machinery will be turned into junk. If this is not the policy of the democratic candidates, it behooves them to declare what is their policy."

### Dangerous to Waste Votes.

"I think it is becoming clear to the business community and the workingmen that wasting their votes upon third party candidates is just as dangerous as the preservation of the protective principle as voting directly for the opposition candidates. It seems to be the purpose of the third party managers to defeat not only the republican national ticket but republican candidates for congress by skimming off just enough votes for their own candidates in every state."

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### Profers Death to Amnesty.

El Paso, Tex., Sept. 26.—"I would accept no amnesty if it removed the charge holding me in this jail and allowed me to go free, but with the obligation to refrain from fighting for Mexico," said Colonel Pascual Orozco, Sr., father of the leader of the Mexican revolution in the north. Colonel Orozco is in jail here on charges of murder preferred by the Mexican government with intent to extradite him for trial in Mexico.

"I would prefer to be shot against a wall in Mexico rather than accept amnesty," declared Colonel Orozco's chief adviser and secretary, in jail on similar charges. "I would accept willingly an armistice permitting treaties of peace but amnesty—no."

## Boomed for Governor



Mayor Cornelius Burns.

Troy, N. Y., Sept. 26.—Cornelius F. Burns, mayor of Troy, whose vigorous administration has created a boom in his favor as gubernatorial candidate, will have a large following from this city at the democratic convention at Syracuse. There will also be delegates at the convention to support Mayor Burns from New York, Albany and Rensselaer counties. Burns has only just entered public life, having been elected mayor nine months ago. During that time he has forced all the large corporations to pay their correct taxes, and instituted various other reforms.

## NO CANDIDATE NAMED

NEW YORK REPUBLICANS NOT  
YET AGRED ON A GUBERNATORIAL  
LEADER.

Platform Adopted Praises Taft Administration, Arraigns Democrats and Ignores Third Party.

Saratoga, N. Y., Sept. 26.—The republican state convention adopted a platform at the session tonight but no nomination was given as to who the candidate for governor will be. The platform was decided upon after a fight was made for planks providing for the selection of state candidates by primaries, thus abolishing the state convention, and another for the declaration of United States senators. Both were defeated and the measure drafted by the committee adopted.

The platform praises the administration of President Taft, arraigns the democrats, but practically ignores the progressive party. The latter, however, is mentioned in the preamble in this manner:

"A vote for the candidate of the progressive party is equivalent to half a vote for the democratic nominee and proportionately dangerous."

Submitting a constitutional amendment providing for woman suffrage to the voters in 1915 unless a constitutional convention is held prior to that time is favored. Holding a constitutional convention next year is favored.

Most of the planks refer to state issues but the tariff, judiciary, workmen's compensation and prevention of corrupt practices in elections are discussed, the several planks following closely the republican national platform.

## MILL OPERATIVES ON STRIKE

Two Thousand Employees Quit Work  
at Lawrence, Mass.—No Disturbances Occur.

Lawrence, Mass., Sept. 26.—Two thousand operatives in the Washington mill of the American woolen mills left their work today as a protest against the confinement in jail of Joseph J. Ettor and Arturo Giovannitti, leaders of the Industrial Workers of the World. Without warning about a hundred operatives walked out of the worsted spinning department. They were followed by workers in many other departments, and in several instances departments were immediately shut down.

Police officers informed the strikers they must disperse, and they left the mill section without resistance.

Ettor and Giovannitti will be placed on trial in Salem Sept. 30, charged with being accessories before the fact of the murder of Anna Lopizzo during the textile strike here last winter.

### Turks Kill Women and Children.

London, Sept. 26.—A dispatch to the Times from Constantinople says that Turkish troops in the island of Samos today killed many women and children.

## OPINION GIVEN ON NEWSPAPER LAW

ATTORNEY GENERAL WICKERSHAM  
SHAM FAILS TO PASS ON  
CONSTITUTIONALITY.

## OTHER PHASES ARE TOUCHED

Immaterial Whether Subscriptions  
Are Individual or in Bulk—Postmaster General is Upheld.

Washington, Sept. 26.—Attorney General Wickersham today sent to Postmaster General Hitchcock a written opinion on certain phases of the new federal law requiring daily and weekly newspapers and some other publications to present to the postmaster general a semi-annual sworn statement of circulation ownership of their stock and bonds and other information under penalty of denial of the use of the mails.

The attorney general holds that the postmaster general's construction that it is immaterial whether subscriptions are individual or in bulk and that the provisions of the law covers the number of copies of a publication to certain protected subscribers by and means.

Mr. Wickersham does not touch upon the constitutionality of the law which is a part of the postoffice appropriation bill enacted at the last session of congress. Mr. Hitchcock inquired whether the law "shall be limited to protected individual subscriptions or shall include purchases in bulk by news agents or others for redistribution, also whether in your opinion the provision covers protected circulation of daily newspapers not distributed through the mails."

Wickersham's Opinion.

Attorney General Wickersham replied categorically and definitely to these inquiries, holding that:

"1. It is immaterial whether or not the subscriptions are individual or in bulk. The statement should include the average of the number of copies of each issue of such publications sold or distributed to all persons who have subscribed; that is, have agreed to take any pay for one or more copies of the publication for a definite period of time and have paid for such subscription; and

"2. In my opinion the provision covers the number of copies of such publications distributed to such subscribers by any means, whether by the mails or otherwise."

"We shall administer the law justly and impartially as we find it," said Mr. Hitchcock today. "The opinion by the attorney general upholds the construction placed upon the law by officials of the postoffice department. We have no alternative; we must enforce it."

"Today we are beginning to mail to 120,000 editors, publishers and others interested forms to be filled out in compliance with the law. These will reach their destinations by October 1, when the law becomes effective. Under the act they must be filled out and returned as soon as practicable. In the event of failure to comply with the provisions of the law, publishers may be liable to the penalty provided by congress."

### The Law Reviewed.

Attorney General Wickersham's opinion begins with a review of the law itself and the questions raised by the postmaster general. He offers first the provision requiring a sworn statement of subscriptions and writes as follows:

"The provision is highly penal in its nature as a consequence of failure to comply with its published requirements. Being, therefore, in derogation of common rights, the provisions should not be construed to embrace anything more than falls clearly within its terms and by those terms the requirements of the statement are limited to the average number of copies of each issue of such publication sold or distributed to paid subscribers during the previous six months."

Then Mr. Wickersham goes into an extended discussion of the definition of the verb, "to subscribe," and holding that it has a definite meaning in both a legal and a popular sense, quotes extensively upon its definitions from the Century dictionary and cyclopedias, the standard dictionary, and addition, in the case of Ashion versus Story, 94 Iowa 197, 201, 64 N. W. Rep. 804, in which it was held that "to become a subscriber to a newspaper includes some voluntary acts on the part of subscriber of which sent to his name as a subscriber."

The distinction between circulation among protected subscribers as the casual or uncertain distribution to

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### LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

Daily temperatures, furnished by Dr. L. Block, voluntary weather observer, for twenty-four hours ending Thursday at 7 p. m.: Minimum 50, maximum 79. Barometer reading, 30.10.

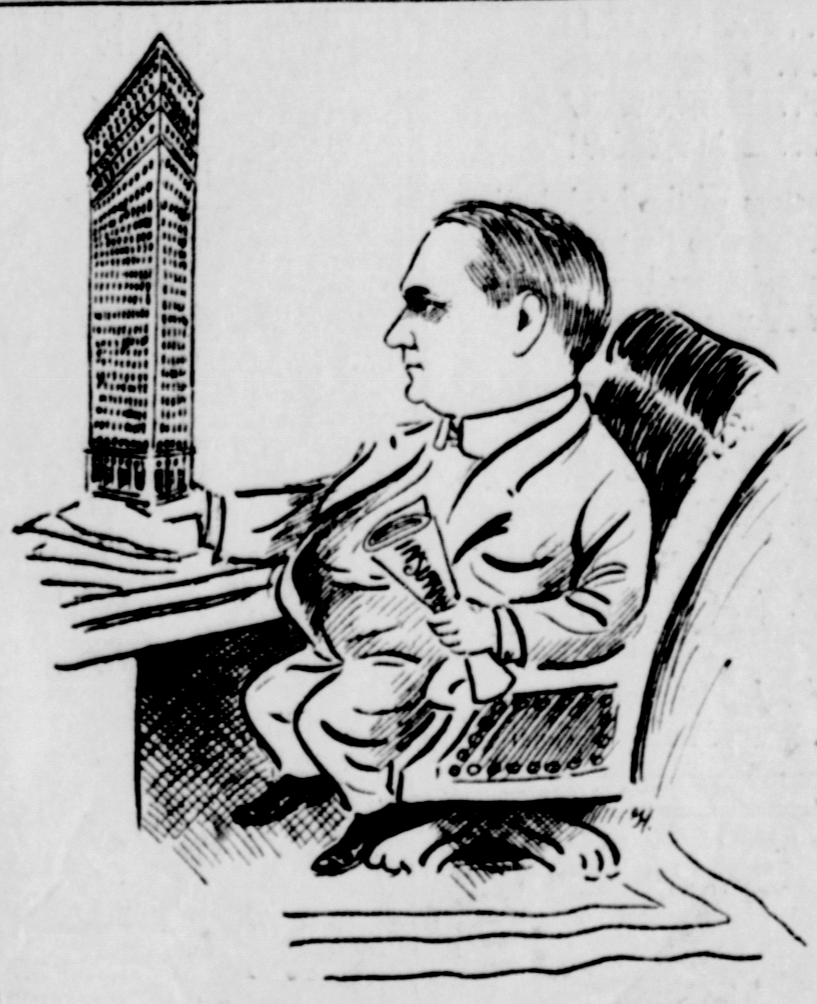
### Weather Forecast.

Washington, Sept. 26.—Forecast: East Texas and Oklahoma—Fair Friday and Saturday.

West Texas—Generally fair Friday and Saturday.

Louisiana—Fair in north, cloudy and somewhat cooler in south portion Friday; Saturday fair.

## Men Who Are Making Waco



—Sketched from life by Gilbert, staff cartoonist Morning News.

When the roll is made up of the Men Who Are Making Waco, there stands out prominently in the collection of pictures the face of the man who planted a twenty-two story building on a foundation that is so firm that it will last throughout all ages. The Amicable building is a feature that has attracted attention to Waco from all parts of the country. Waco is known as the Texas town with the twenty-two story building, and it overtops any other building in this state—in fact, probably in the entire south. When Artemas R. Roberts first announced that he would construct it, there were doubting ones here and there, but the determination of the man who had organized and put in the front rank the most successful life insurance company that Texas has, was not to be stopped by the doubts of his fellow citizens. In the making of Waco the Amicable has its place, and the head of the Amicable has made that place for his own ability. It was not the helping hand of another; no silver spoon brought him success, but the inspiration to do something, to accomplish that which would be a mark of distinction, encouraged him in his efforts. The Men Who Are Making Waco have as their associate in this work the help and the influence of Artemas R. Roberts.

## Bankers and Merchants To Be Cotton Pickers

## SPELLER IS ADOPTED

STATE BOARD VOTES IN FAVOR  
OF NEW CENTURY TEXT-BOOK.

A. N. McCallum of Austin and P. W. Horn of Houston Are the Authors.

Austin, Sept. 26.—The state textbook board today made its first adoption. Silver, Burdette & Co. of New York, who print the New Century speller, of which A. N. McCallum of Austin and P. W. Horn of Houston are the joint authors, has been awarded the speller contract, conditioned upon certain changes. F. V. Garrison, William H. Doughty, John F. O'Shea and Mrs. Ella F. Little are named by Gov. Colquitt as a committee to determine upon the changes desired. The votes of a number of members of the board are conditioned upon them. Consideration of readers began this afternoon and will continue for several days.

Each member of the board had picked from two to six favorites out of the large selection of spellers offered. At 4 o'clock all members announced ready and a ballot was taken upon first choice. The roll was called, but Gov. Colquitt as chairman and State Superintendent Bralley as secretary were the last to vote the governor announcing that he wanted no member of the board to be influenced by the vote of either of them.

The vote canvassed showed seven votes for the New Century speller, three for the Davis speller and one for the Century Speller. The New Century speller was declared adopted if the changes are made. Gov. Colquitt was in the minority.

## TWO MINERS ARE ENTOMBED

EXPLOSION SETS FIRE TO MINE  
AT CRAIG, OK.—RESCUERS  
ARE AT WORK.

Craig, Okla., Sept. 26.—A hundred men are working frantically tonight to rescue two men imprisoned 500 feet down in the burning Bolan-Drane mine, which caught fire just five minutes before the closing time tonight. The imprisoned men are named Miller and Bernice. All others had left the mine when the explosion occurred and the mine caught fire.

## SNEED CASE EVIDENCE IN

AT CONCLUSION OF ARGUMENT  
TODAY JUDGE BROWNING MAY  
RESERVE DECISION.

## TO TAKE PRECAUTION

TROUBLE, HOWEVER, NOT EXPECTED IF BAIL IS GRANTED.

## EPTING UNDER INDICTMENT

Grand Jury Charges Cattle County  
Farmer With Having Aided Sneed  
in the Killing of Boyce.

### Epting is Indicted.

Amarillo, Tex., Sept. 26.—An indictment charging murder was returned today by the grand jury against Beach B. Epting, arrested several days after the Boyce killing as the alleged accomplice of Sneed. Epting was arrested last week in Cattle county and is in the county jail here. He is alleged to have been the "mysterious third man" in the killing of Boyce.

Amarillo, Tex., Sept. 26.—An impressive display of Sneed's alleged breast protector, two automatic six-shooters, a box of cartridges and a false black mustache closed the taking of evidence in the habeas corpus hearing this afternoon of J. B. Sneed, charged with slaying Al G. Boyce in this city Sept. 14.

Arguments of counsel will be heard tomorrow morning, and many expect Judge Browning will reserve his decision, especially if bail is granted, in that case announcing it after Sneed has been released and the bond made. There is nothing, however, to make such a precaution seem necessary, as no trouble seems imminent.

The breast protector is made of khaki cloth, filled with some flexible composition in strips about two by four inches. It would hardly deflect a bullet at any close range, but might turn a knife thrust or a bullet at a distance. It and the mustache were said to have been found in a grip left in the first room Sneed is alleged to have occupied on East Eighth street. The guns were those he delivered to the officers at the jail.

### Letter Ruled Out.

The closing scenes this afternoon were far from sensational. After the defense had called Ernest Robinson, who had formerly appeared for the state, to testify that no words were passed, arguments were reached on admitting parts of the testimony at the Fort Worth trial.

A letter admitted to have been found on Al Boyce was ruled out after the state had objected to it. The defense asked the admittance of the first twelve lines. The state said it was produced only that the Boyce family might not be charged with concealing anything. Senator Odell said the objection to it was on the ground that it would bring into the hearing the name of a lady entirely innocent of any connection with the case.

Portions of the Fort Worth trial evidence dealing with Sneed's testimony as to his wife's mental condition, and also Dr. Turner's opinion as testified to at the trial, were excluded.

The record of this case comprises 700 typewritten pages and Judge Browning announced he could not read it all. The attorneys then specified sections they wished read.

### John Blanton Testifies.

John Blanton, popularly referred to as Sneed's bodyguard, was the first witness called this morning. He said since about March 1 he went with Sneed every place Sneed went until July. He said Sneed had not in that time seen Boyce so far as he knew. He went with Sneed to Waco after the Fort Worth trial. They saw Mrs. Sneed there before she went to California. He and Sneed met her in San Antonio on her return. He then traced their movements to Dallas, Georgetown and Johnson's sanitarium. He told of taking the children to the sanitarium to see their mother, the children staying several days. He said Mrs. Sneed was not locked in. After July 5 Sneed told Blanton he did not think he needed him any longer. He was re-employed August 1 by telegram. He then stayed in Dallas until the Sneed left for Calvert August 13, where they went to the farm. He corroborated Joe Barr as to his telling Blanton of Boyce's visit to Dallas. He then went to Calvert and remained until he came to Amarillo after the killing.

Blanton said his last employment with Sneed was for the purpose of staying with the children and protecting them. After a long argument he was permitted to testify that he told Sneed of Boyce's visit to Dallas. Sneed's conduct to his wife so far as Blanton's knowledge went was kind. He said Sneed did not sleep that all important question: "Who pitched today?"

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## WHY?

Why have the deposits of the Central Texas Exchange National Bank increased so rapidly, as shown by the following comparative statement?

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Aug. 5.....	1,478,261.16
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A. J. Peterson, Assistant Cashier.

## ARBITRATION URGED

### INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF CHAMBERS OF COMMERCE GOES ON RECORD

Permanent World Tribunal for Settling Disputes Is to Be Established in the Near Future.

Boston, Sept. 26.—Arbitration of all international disputes, whether between individuals and foreign nations or between individuals and foreign nations, was urged by the fifth international congress of chambers of commerce, which closed its sessions here today. President Louis Canon LeGrand, of Mons, Belgium, brought up the subject and a resolution submitted by him was unanimously adopted. Arbitration of disputes between individuals and foreign countries was discussed and approved at an early session of the congress but some misunderstanding arose when the chair ruled that an amendment to include disputes between individuals or between nations was not in order. President Canon LeGrand presented his resignation today, he explained, so that it might be understood that in making his ruling, the only question involved was one of parliamentary procedure. In seconding the motion, F. D. Lalanne of Philadelphia, read a letter from Secretary of State P. C. Knox in which the belief was expressed that a permanent world court of arbitration would be established in the near future.

An international conference to consider the high cost of living and suggest possible remedies met with unanimous approval. Reduction in postage rates and other international postal reforms and the desirability of uniformity in the matter of consular invoices were other subjects favored by the congress.

Suggestions for postal reforms to be submitted to the next universal postal congress, were laid before the international congress of chambers of commerce by Dr. Alfred Georg, vice-president of the chamber of commerce of Geneva, Switzerland. These suggestions, said Dr. Georg, when approved by this congress, would be brought to the attention of the international bureau of the universal postal union and to all the states in the union.

Dr. Georg summarized his recommendations as follows:  
1. The rate fixed by the universal postal agreement for the carriage of letters shall be reduced from 25 centimes to 10 centimes, that is, to the tariff rate for domestic postage. This tariff rate shall be collected by the weight or fraction of the weight of 20 grams throughout the extent of the postal union, the weight being calculated by the metric system.

2. The states subscribing to the universal postal agreement of 1906, which by virtue of item III of the final protocol of this agreement have retained

the limits of weight and the rates of the preceding postal agreement shall renounce this exceptional practice.

3. An international postage, the additional charge collected by the postal service for the absence or insufficiency of postage on articles of letter mail, shall be fixed uniformly at 5 centimes.

4. The postal administration of the states belonging to the universal union will deliver to the addressees all sealed letters which come to them from abroad, even when the exterior of these letters does not conform to the postal regulations of the country of destination.

5. The provision of article 55 of the universal postal agreement, reading that samples of merchandise must have no merchantable value shall be repealed. The limit of weight for samples shall be raised to 500 grams.

6. For postal parcels, the limit of weight shall be raised from 5 to 10 kilograms. By way of exception, the states of the postal union whose domestic relations forbid the sending of postal parcels of over 5 kilograms, may obtain this limit of weight.

7. The universal postal agreement shall impose on the states of the union a reasonable period for the delivery of postal parcels varying according to the country of destination, outside of which the postal administration shall be responsible.

8. The universal agreement shall establish a special category of postal parcels of a maximum weight of 1 kilogram, which, in consideration of a special rate, shall be shipped by a more rapid route.

The Swiss federal government has taken no action on the propositions formulated, said Dr. Georg, but these are presented with the assent of the Swiss Union of Commerce and Industry, and of the Swiss Chamber of Commerce.

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heartily about the difficulties of campaigning.

The president inquired of the governor how his voice was holding out and the democratic candidate in answering said:

"Very well, considering the way the campaign committees imposed upon the personal comfort of candidates."

The president, with a smile, said: "There are only three other living candidates who can sympathize with you in these strenuous days of campaigning, Mr. Roosevelt, Mr. Bryan and myself."

Governor Wilson replied that it would not be so bad if campaign committees did not insist upon making the candidates speak everywhere and travel so much.

With a hearty hand-shake the two men parted, the president to go to his summer home in Beverly, and Governor Wilson returning to his room to rest for his program of speeches in Boston tomorrow.

Champ Clark On Stump.

Mexico, Mo., Sept. 26.—"If entrusted with complete control of the whole legislative machine, house, senate and president, as I believe we will be the democratic party will continue the good work and achieve even greater economies," said Speaker Clark here today.

We elected the present democratic house on six principal promises and have fulfilled them, every one," he continued. "Among these was the promise to cut down appropriations on the old Jefferson principle of economy, in the public expense that labor may be lightly burdened. To economize was the hardest task we undertook because the republican senate tried to load on us appropriation bills with all sorts of amendments, but by making a long and hard fight, we succeeded in reducing the sum total appropriated by several million dollars, thereby making a good beginning."

## NEWS TELEPHONES.

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Editorial and News, 2385  
both phones .....

## DIVORCE CAUSES ARE SELDOM GIVEN

REV. SAMUEL W. DIKE SAYS AMBITION FOR DRESS IS LARGELY RESPONSIBLE.

### ACCURATE DATA IS NEEDED

Not Until That Is Obtainable Will There Be a Clear Idea of Marital Tendencies.

Washington, Sept. 26.—Technical causes on which divorces are granted are seldom the real causes, declared the Rev. Dr. Samuel W. Dike, secretary of the National League for the Protection of Family in speaking today of the Fifteenth International Congress on Hygiene and Demography. There is great difficulty in getting at the truth of divorce, Dr. Dike asserted, therefore there is no reliable statistical information on the subject. Ambition for dress and social pleasures he classed as a leading cause of divorce with unwillingness to bear children, influence of sex vices, inadequate wages and inauspicious food as other causes.

"If we are ever going to have a clear idea of marital tendencies," said Dr. Fred K. Hoffman, of Newark, N. J., "we must have accurate data on the divorce question. Proper statistical information is necessary to advance in legislation not only on this subject but in all social problems."

The vital statistics section of the congress decided to present to the congress a recommendation that all countries make efforts to have accurate marriage and divorce information gathered.

"If alcoholism was the cause of mental diseases we would all be imbeciles today," asserted Dr. Maximilian P. P. Grossmann, director of the National Association for the Study and Education of Exceptional Children, "for our ancestors drank excessively and took big 'night caps' and he added 'all the Germans would be imbeciles, whereas they are a nation of strong minded artisans and scientists.'"

Intemperance, he said, was a disease and would occur in families suffering from mental weaknesses but until it had been proven that it was a cause it should not be classed as such.

Farm hygiene presents a dreary picture, according to Dr. J. N. Hurty of the Indiana Board of Health who told the delegates that the farmer was in the "patent medicine stage." The life of farmers should be from 30 to 50 per cent longer, he said, most of the ills from which they suffered being self imposed. "They overwork the frying pan on the farm, pickles being used to what they appetite. They cram the system full of over-fermented and insufficiently baked bread and too much smoked, pickled and salted hams," added the speaker.

Children in Stock Yards District.

Dr. Caroline G. Hedger of Chicago spoke on "the school children of the stock yards district" at the Fifteenth International Congress of Hygiene and Demography.

"It is a gray neighborhood, the Chicago stock yards," said Dr. Hedger. She presented the substance of an investigation carried on under the direction of the board of the University of Chicago, and showing that almost fifty per cent of the children of the stock yards district showed material retardation in the two schools in the district from which the 200 pupils were studied.

"In the region in which they live," she said, "the smoke comes down in clouds, and with it comes the smell of the fertilizer plants. This is not conducive to deep breathing or sound sleep, and the children impress one as lacking oxygen, round-shouldered, thin and rather pale. But the physical findings, while alarming while viewing the group as a whole, are distributed in such a way as to make one to suspect that all other causes have more connection with the school retardation."

Dr. Hedger presented statistics to show that children were bad physically in almost the direct proportion as they received insufficient food, had little room to live, were forced to sleep in crowded beds, and had the reflected worry from taxes and mortgages.

"They have not the spirit and the nervous balance to make their grades," she said. "If the child grows inactive, discontented, becomes idle and a criminal, is the child to blame?" the speaker asked, "or is the smug citizen who lives on the fat returns of stocks."

## Thank You Gentlemen

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WHITMAN'S FOUNTAIN CHOCOLATE.

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## School Days

Some Timely Advice to Parents School Children's Greatest Handicap.

School days are here and it is said that many children will be obliged to enter their school work and take up the various studies without being properly equipped to do so.

The greatest handicap that pupils can be subjected to in their studies is the uncorrected refraction. A boy or girl's eyesight may so handicap them in their work as to keep them at the foot of the class throughout the whole school term, whereas, if the errors were promptly corrected by glasses they would be near, if not at the head of their respective classes. We know of a child who changed from the dullest, most stupid pupil to the brightest scholar in the entire room after a few days' use of glasses.

Dr. W. B. Georgia's Composition Focusing lens method enables him to search out the child's refractive errors without the use of a mydriatic or other dangerous drugs in dilating.

Dr. Georgia has hundreds of school children wearing glasses prescribed by him, and who were made happy from the first day they began the use of their glasses.

Take your children to this eminent eyesight specialist and let him tell you whether or not they need glasses.

Look for the big spectacle sign, Dr. W. B. Georgia & Co., optometrists and lens grinders—opposite Sanger Bros.

whose money is made by the sweat and blood and deprivation of the industrial neighborhoods like this."

T. Kennard Thompson, vice-president of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers of New York, today advanced the conclusion that many cases of what is called catarrh disease were due not so much to work in compressed air as they were to work in foul atmosphere. Mr. Thompson said that foul atmosphere, even at a very low pressure, was often more dangerous to men than much higher pressure where the air was not contaminated. To support his contention, he cited a number of cases in the work for the Lenox Avenue bridge in the Harlem river tunnel, New York City. Considerable trouble was caused by men complaining of the "bends" when passing through the foul mud in the bottom of the river.

Mr. Thompson directed attention to what he termed the "criminal folly of depositing sewerage in the Harlem river." He declared that several times have proved that the tides did not carry away all the sewerage emptied into the Harlem, the Hudson and the East rivers, because any excavation will disclose putrid mud of very offensive smell on the bottoms of the river. He called attention to what he termed the "great risk New York is running" of an epidemic through having mud in rivers and bays in such a condition. "It would even be dangerous to pump the water to put out fires," he said, "as so much foul mud would thus be scattered over the city to dry and spread as dust."

## HILLES SCORES THE DEMOCRATS

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and district to wipe out existing republican pluralities.

"The effect of this policy would be appalling if it should succeed. It would result in the return of free trade democrats to congress from districts after districts now represented by republicans. So far as the plan is scheduled there would not be left in congress a protest guard of members friendly even to a moderate degree of protection. Even if Governor Wilson, elected president under such conditions, should repent of the extreme policies of his party and should veto measures aimed to carry out the policy of Champ Clark of leveling the custom houses to the ground, there would not be votes enough in the two houses to sustain the veto.

"This is the road along which the third party candidate is seeking to lead the country—not merely the defeat of a worthy republican president, but turning the country over, bound hand and foot, to the mercies of a radical majority which would be too powerful even to be influenced by its more sober and conservative elements. Former republicans who vote for the third party candidates are voting for this policy but from the reports which are reaching me from day to day I am satisfied that most of them are beginning to understand the danger and are turning back from the brink of the precipice."

## SNEED CASE EVIDENCE IN

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well and after what he told him he acted about like what he would expect from a crazy man. Sneed said they had run him around from pillar to post and as if they would never leave his family alone. He described him as walling up and down. He said Sneed seemed nervous and disturbed always when talking of the matter. At times he would stop in a conversation, go through his pockets, take nothing out and then go right on with the conversation where he stopped. On cross-examination he corroborated Joe Barr. He denied that he carried a message from Dallas to Sneed that he would find Boyce in Amarillo. He said he saw Boyce at Paducah, as well as he could remember.

Scholl At San Marcos.

Austin, Tex., Sept. 26.—Entomologist E. E. Scholl will leave today for San Marcos, where he will make an address at the May county fair.



## There is a Personality About Our Shoes

As a matter of fact, the very best salesman we have for our shoes are the shoes themselves. Come in—try them on—see how good they feel.

## MILLER-CROSS CO.

Corner Fourth and Austin

RELIABLE FOOTWEAR

## WATER CARRIERS NOT TREATED FAIR

RAILROADS CHARGED WITH SUPPRESSING RIVER COMMERCE BY RATE COMPETITION.

## APPEAL TO CONGRESS MADE

Katy to Have New Terminals at Houston—Waco Freight Bureau Elects Officers Today.

Little Rock, Sept. 26.—A resolution condemning the railroads of the country for their attempts to stifle water commerce by rate competition was adopted by the delegates to the Lakes-to-the-Gulf Deep Waterway convention in the closing hours of the convention late this afternoon. The resolution demands the enactment of further legislation which will compel and facilitate the exchange of traffic between rail and water carriers and prevent discrimination against water carriers. The resolution asks congress to appoint a commission to visit the principal nations of Europe and investigate and report on the policies and administrative methods of European countries in executing public works in regard to transportation and the improvement of rivers and harbors.

President Kavanaugh was authorized to appoint a committee of 100 to attend the opening of the next congress in the interest of the waterways project.

This afternoon the delegates were guests at an old-fashioned southern barbecue at Forest park, at which more than 3000 pounds of barbecued meat was served. Addresses were made by John M. Harlan and former Congressman Bede of Minnesota. Their addresses dealt exclusively with the benefits to be derived from the deep waterway project.

Portia, Ill., was selected as the next place of meeting.

## FREIGHT BUREAU MEETING.

Officers and Directors Will Be Elected This Afternoon.

At a meeting of the members of the Waco Freight Bureau to be held in the office of the bureau in the Amicable building at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon officers and directors for the ensuing year will be elected. The call for the meeting was issued yesterday by C. L. Sanger, president of the bureau.

After the election of officers, any business that may be presented will be considered.

## NEW HOUSTON TERMINALS.

Katy Buys Large Tract Out of City for Improvements.

Houston, Sept. 26.—The long brewing move on the part of the railways to remove shop and terminal facilities to points beyond the city limits is believed to have seen its start in action by the Katy railway in acquiring forty-nine acres of ground just west of the city and between Cottage Grove and Eureka. It is stated that the Katy will lose no time in working out plans for construction. The war against grade crossings and delays to street car traffic is believed to be at the bottom of this move on the part of the line.

The 49-acre tract is situated on the Katy road just east of Eureka and will connect with the Houston Belt and Terminal belt line around Houston at that point. The distance from Houston to the land is only about four miles, which is considerably nearer the city than the belt yard south of the city.

The new yards will be located in what is known as the John Reimer tract and the property was purchased by the Katy from Harry Radcliffe of Houston and S. A. Rob-

## LIFE COMBINE IS PROPOSED

Representative of the Republic Trust Company Is in the City, But Does Not Talk.

There has been a great deal of interest in insurance circles in Texas in regard to the movement of the Republic Trust company of Dallas, which was recently organized, with an authorized capital of \$5,000,000, with the announced purpose to consolidate several Texas life insurance companies under one management, effecting the consolidation by the exchange of the stock of the Republic for the stock of the other companies on a certain agreed basis.

It is understood the Republic company claims to have secured control of three Texas life companies, but J. C. Everett, of Dallas, who represents the Republic and is at the Metropole, having arrived last night, would not confirm this report. The proposed consolidation of the Texas companies under this plan, met with some opposition from a number of the big Texas companies, among them being of the Amicable of this city, the Great Southern at Houston and the Guarantee Life of Houston.

Fish Was Too Large.

Beaumont, Tex., Sept. 26.—On the somewhat unusual complaint of having in his possession and offering for sale a red fish, weight more than twelve pounds, V. Dimare, a Port Arthur fish dealer, entered a plea of guilty in the county court this morning and was fined \$10 and costs. The complaint was brought about through the agency of Ranger Game Warden W. J. Stephens, who is now working in Jefferson county.

Mr. Bryan charged that the salient section of the democratic platform had been taken "boldly and boldly by Mr. Roosevelt and his progressive party."

Speaking to the workmen at the Comstock mines at Virginia City, the Nebraskaan asserted that the steel trust had turned out \$700,000,000 of watered stock in a few minutes, while it took the great Comstock mines fifty years with the hard labor of many thousands of men to produce a like amount.

## WIRE YOUR HOME FOR Electric Lights

Our representative will call and explain in detail the cost of wiring, and the easy payment plan.

Texas Power and Light Co.

W. B. RATHELL, Local Manager.



To the Discriminating Buyer of Fine Cigars—

## The ELSIDEL

Clear Havana Cigars in 27 different sizes will satisfy the most fastidious taste

IN 5c CIGARS  
THE ELSIDEL SMOKERS  
THE DUPLICATOR  
THE SAM SLOAN

## Herz Brothers

Wholesale and Retail Cigars and BOOKSELLERS.

# Pan Cake

Buckwheat Flour

NEW 1911 PACK

Pure Sap Maple in Glass and Tin Containers

Many Other New Items Arriving Daily at

The Grocery So Different

418 AUSTIN AVE.

## Our New Fall Woolens

Have arrived. This line is by long odds the most attractive we have ever shown. The colors are stunning and every style is absolutely new and made especially for this Fall and Winter.

LOUIS GABERT THE LEADING TAILOR.

## HOUSTON HEIGHTS IS DRY.

Suburb Votes To Go Under Local Option Laws.

Houston, Tex., Sept. 26.—The action of Houston Heights, Houston's incorporated suburb on the northwest, with a population of about 10,000, in voting local option yesterday by 229 to 254, is much commented upon today. That section went against statewide prohibition by nearly 100 majority. One result is that other voting precincts are taking steps for similar elections, among them Sunset Heights. A feature of yesterday's election was the action of the press in posting at all possible points adjacent to the polls funeral notices printed for M. K. Countryman, who was killed Monday night by a shot through the door of the grocery and saloon of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Orlando and for which Mrs. Alice Orlando is under bond of \$2500, awaiting an examining trial.

## Rice Institute Opens.

Houston, Tex., Sept. 26.—The William M. Rice Institute, Houston's \$10,000,000 endowment university, was formally opened today with an enrollment of sixty students, who have withstood the preliminary tests. The formal opening, which will be attended by educators from all over the world, will come at a later date.

## HUNGER Is Useless

DON'T "WISH" FOR SOMETHING GOOD TO EAT, BUT COME WHERE YOU KNOW YOU WILL GET THE BEST TO EAT—AT

Chris's Cafe OF COURSE. ON AUSTIN STREET.

## SCROFULINE

KING OF SALVES AT ALL DRUGGISTS 50c, 25c and \$1.00.

Hamilton-Turner Grocery Company WHOLESALE GROCERS, WACO, TEXAS.

Agents Texas Refining Co.'s El Toro Land Compound. Guaranteed equal to any hog lard. Made from cream of the cotton. Pure, wholesome, healthful. DEMAND EL TORO. We are here to serve you. Keep us busy.

## Save Your Teeth

Give your teeth proper attention and you will save your health, as well as your teeth. REXALL TOOTH PASTE is antiseptic and will keep the teeth and mouth pure and clean. PRICE 25 CENTS.

W. B. Morrison's Old Corner Rexall Store

# Current Events

In Woman's Sphere

BOTH PHONES 1958.

KATE FRIEND, Editor

## THE MARKS-FRIEDLANDER WEDDING DATE NAMED

It is now announced that the marriage of Miss Sadie Friedlander to Sam Marks will occur on October 23rd. This will be a service in Temple Rodef Sholem. Among the first guests to arrive in advance will be the sister of the bride-to-be, Mrs. A. J. Friedlander of Kansas City, who is due within a few days.

## FIRST WEDDING CARDS FOR THE NEW SEASON

To a limited few in the city, but to friends throughout the state, there have been sent, as the first cards of the new season.

You are invited to be present at the marriage of Katherine daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Spencer to

Clyde Lee Webb

on Thursday evening the tenth of October,

at eight-thirty o'clock

1324 Columbus street

Waco, Texas.

The separate card announces an at-home after the fifteenth of November in Waco.

TO THE SHAKESPEARE CLUB IN ADVANCE OF OPENING

It is announced to the members present and in prospect of the Waco Shakespeare club that the play for the first half of the year will be The Winter's Tale instead of Othello, as was expected. This is in recognition of the distraction of the Cotton Palace and the holiday season. Winter's Tale being a lighter play, with no research necessary, yet a very pleasing story, with music and poetic passages, it is deemed better to reserve the heavier character study of Othello until the less distracted period of Lent.

In case there are women who would like to take up the study of Shakespeare with this club, it is announced that voluntary applications are received. No members are invited formally to join. In case an application is made, however, it is necessary to have the endorsement of one present member of the club. The Shakespeare club will open with the middle of October.

## SOMETHING NEW HAS COME INTO OUR CHURCH LIFE

It is now assured that Waco is to have her first day nursery for mothers who attend the church service. Realizing the deprivation which the mother with a young babe has to experience, in building the new First Presbyterian church a room was included where the babies could be left while the mother attended the Sunday service. Until now this has remained unfurnished. The generosity of W. J. Neale furnishes the room. Mesdames W. T. Abernathy, T. A. Caulfield, James Loughbridge, A. C. Patton and J. T. Searcy are the committee appointed to select the furniture, and secure the nurse. After the nursery is opened, the girls of the church will assist in caring for the babies. The building committee of the church, Mr. Neale, the women of the congregation have all made this convenience possible. It is now the hope that mothers will show that it was worth while by attending the service and leaving the babe with these careful nurses. The nursery is an accepted feature of the church in the city. Why not Waco keep abreast of the more advanced center?

## THE MARY WEST CHAPTER HAS ANNUAL MEETING

When Mesdames O. K. Stetler and C. W. Payne had welcomed the last member of the Mary West chapter on Wednesday afternoon, it was found that there was a very full attendance, although this was purely a business session. This speaks well for the genuine interest in this laudable work. The principal business was the selection of a new roster of officers, in order that certain routine matters may be disposed of, these elections occur in October, but the incoming officers do not assume duty until the first of January. The result of the election is: President, Mrs. Edith E. T. Lessing; vice president, Mesdames C. N. Smith, Summer Oakes, J. F. Cason and E. M. Dotson; secretaries, Mesdames R. J. Alexander and J. W. Downs; historian, Mrs. B. C. Garland; custodian, Mrs. H. J. Ellis, and registrar, Mrs. H. H. Crouch. The general convention holds in Washington City in November. To represent the chapter there were elected, Miss Decca Lamar West, Mesdames W. H. Forester, Edith Lessing, Susan Thornton Price and J. W. Downs, their alternates being Mesdames C. N. Smith, Jennie Holmes, Richard Maxwell, M. Kendrick and B. C. Garland. The chief business centered in the appointment of committees to arrange the Mary West exhibit at the Cotton Palace. There is also under arrangement a joint meeting with the Pat Cleburne camp for the celebration of Reagan's birthday. It was decided to have this on the afternoon of the sixth of October. In order to create a fund with which to assist indigent Confederate women, it was decided to have a free will offering at each meeting of the chapter. Especially is each member to observe her own birthday by giving to this fund the amount in pennies of her age. The chapter meets now every two weeks.

## THE DOMESTIC SCIENCE CLASSES OPEN ON MONDAY

The news comes from Mr. Gen-

heimer, that great interest has been manifested since the opening of the high school over the domestic science classes which are now forming.

It is already demonstrated that the director must have an assistant and correspondence looking toward this already begun. Mothers all over the city have given their attention and from the three hundred girls enrolled in the high school more than two hundred are in one of the domestic science classes. The arrangement is that one year is devoted to cooking lessons, another to sewing. This gives every girl who finishes the high school course two years in cooking and two in sewing. The board recognizes this as an equivalent to a study, except in English. A pupil can drop any literary study except the English, take one of the science courses, and receive full credit for her degree. This does not apply to mathematics except after the third year. Scores of mothers have written that consent is given for this substitute for science for a literary study to be made. So far there has been only the classification and the making ready for systematic teaching. The domestic science classes proper will open on Monday. The girls will not only be given lessons in practical sewing and cooking, but they will be required to give research on these subjects.

Mothers will do well to call at the high school after this week, to see the classes in progress and to consult with the teachers as to the plans of this teaching. It is the something new in Waco school life and every mother should so inform herself as to become an intelligent patron.

## Society Notes.

Mrs. Kath. Watson, Matthews writes of a very pleasant location in Boulder, Colo., and the prospect of a full and profitable winter.

Cards came on Friday from Mrs. Pearl Walker Yates. She, with Miss Margaret Yates, is visiting an old school friend, motoring through the sights of Brooklyn and New York City, and reading the Morning News daily in order to keep informed as to the happenings among her home friends.

Miss Daisy Bolton of South Fourth street, took passage on Friday for Washington City. Chaperoned there by her sister, Mrs. Ethel Bolton Savary, she will attend Fairmont Seminary.

A telegram came on Friday to say that the Cameron-Bolton party would reach home from New York on Sunday at noon.

Saint Petersburg claims to have found the missing Mona Lisa. Let's wait to watch developments. The missing lady has excited us once before this.

Miss Katherine Spencer, also Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lee Spencer, are at home from attending the Jester-Ramsey wedding in Tyler.

Cultivate the idea of a little gray about your rooms. It is so restful and has the advantage of not showing dust. (The French particularly lean towards this color, even to furniture.)

Letters bring the news that the New York shops simply teem with rich brocades.

Mrs. Charles Holson, since her going from Dallas to Chicago, has nursed a very sick child. This is the niece whom she has taken into her home. The little girl is reported in a very bad condition. She has been a victim to typhoid fever since Mrs. Holson arrived at the del Prado.

We do not refer to little folks any more. We say instead "the Billies and Betties."

It seems that the tables are turned. It has been that the men admired the women's pretty things to wear; but now the women are stopping to gaze in the men's shop window displays. It seems that this is caused by woman's fancy for a tailor suit from some of the cloths shown for men's suits.

Mrs. Charles Barker is again matron of the South Fifth street cottage which she left for the summer season.

Have we all made our list of theater attractions which we will patronize this season? It is time we were giving this attention.

Remember, we must all go down to the picture shows on Tuesday in order that we may contribute our mite to the women's fund for the Wilson-Marshall campaign.

Again it is reminded that the women must feel free to telephone all announcement notices to The News. It is intended that the women's department shall be their accurate as well as full social and club directory.

Women, take to your brooms. Madame Cavalieri says a vigorous sweeping is the best incentive to health and beauty, and the madame knows whereof she speaks.

Are you allowing the litter to have full play while the fall winds blow? This is good for the sporty bits of paper, but rather bad for the reputation of yourself as well as of your city as a clean community.

We are to have The Old Homestead revived. This is as old as the hills, it seems, and yet it is so wholesome that we all love it. The play is one which makes us laugh while we cry.

It also made popular that soulful melody, The Old Oaken Bucket. By the way, that song is enumerated along with Gray's Elegy and other famous poems, where the author stepped into fame with the one effort. Who can name off hand the author

## TUBERCULOSIS SUNDAY

GOVERNOR COLQUITT ISSUES PROCLAMATION DESIGNATING THE DATE.

There is to be a General Movement Throughout the Country in October.

Austin, Tex., Sept. 26.—Governor Colquitt today issued the following tuberculosis Sunday proclamation:

"A Proclamation:

"To the People of Texas:—During the past five years the public health workers have set aside one day each year for the consideration of matters pertaining to the public health. This day has been variously known as 'Tuberculosis Sunday,' 'Health Sunday' and by other names. This year, Sunday, October 27, has been designated as the day when the people of America are asked to give consideration to the condition of their own health, and the health of their families, to a study of the public health of the cities in which they live, and to consider means for the prevention of disease. In Texas this day will be known as 'Health and Hospital Sunday,' and it is designated to attract public attention to the fact that the hospital facilities for the care of the sick, and the prevention of communicable diseases are woefully inadequate. Tuberculosis and other communicable diseases should be treated in hospitals for the protection of the community, and every county in the state should have a general hospital for the care of the indigent sick and injured, with special and separate provisions for tuberculosis and other communicable diseases. Now, therefore, I, O. B. Colquitt, governor of Texas, by virtue of the authority vested in me under the laws of this state, do hereby designate Sunday, October 27, as 'Health and Hospital Sunday,' and call upon the people of Texas to attend divine service on that day for the purpose of hearing discourses on this subject. I ask the clergy to preach to the people on this day on the importance of good health; if the ritual of the church forbids consideration of this matter on Sunday, I ask that the subject be considered on some day preceding or following October 27. I urge upon the county commissioners of the various counties of Texas serious consideration of the needs of their county in the matter of hospital provisions for the sick, both as a matter of common humanity and for the prevention of disease.

(Signed) O. B. COLQUITT, Governor of Texas."

WANT TO AMEND FREE LAW.

Committee of Sheriffs' Association Considering the Matter.

Austin, Tex., Sept. 26.—Sheriffs George S. Matthews, of Travis county, M. H. Deeman of Brown county, and George Tilley of McLennan county, all members of the executive committee of the sheriffs' association, today agreed upon amendments to the fee bill, which they will ask the Thirty-third legislature to adopt.

They insist that there is a conflict in the provisions with regard to the mileage to be allowed for conveying prisoners to jail after arrest. They say one provision allows five cents a mile and another ten. They wish the conflict straightened out so that the sheriff may get ten cents a mile.

They also wish a change in the provision with regard to the conveyance of attached witnesses. They say that as the law now stands a witness ordered by a district judge to be conveyed instant must be taken before a justice of the peace and allowed to make bond, that if the sheriff does this he may be held in contempt by the district judge and that if he does not, the witness himself may ask damages. They also say that collection of fees for such a conveyance is not assured. This they wish amended.

Old Oaken Bucket? Not one in a hundred, we wager.

It is noted that the form of invitation for the Webb-Spencer marriage is different from those heretofore used. Doubtless this form is to come into vogue with the new season.

Mrs. E. E. Thompson sends note from New York City telling of a ribbon which sells at \$10.50 a yard. How many yards had we better order down to Waco?

Miss Pauline Brustedt has arrived from Europe. She is with her sister, Mrs. James Riley, until the arrival of Mrs. Brustedt, who stopped in St. Louis for a few days.

Mrs. Annie Kinard Hardesty is leaving this morning for her home in New Orleans.

Mrs. Lee Dewey of Barnard and Eighteenth, has returned from her visit to Mrs. Gabriel Lee in Houston. Among the departures of Friday was that of Mrs. Julian Prade for Atlanta, Ga.

Mrs. Carlton, who spent several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Edwin Jurney, is again at home in Tyler.

Mrs. Silas Newton of Provident Heights, has returned from her summer outing in Chicago.

Mrs. J. D. Newton of North 18th, is at home from Grandview.

Among the home-comings is that of Miss Mittie Newton, who visited her sister, Mrs. Cowden, in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Dumbuck of Texarkana, arrives within the next few days on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Silas Newton.

Mrs. Biggs of West, was the Wednesday guest of Mrs. A. C. Patton on Austin avenue.

WANTED—Another boy with a wheel. Business is good. Navigator's Messenger Service, 411 Franklin.

Accidentally Shoots Wife.

Dallas, Tex., Sept. 26.—Mrs. G. M. Hogan was shot through both eyes today accidentally by her husband at the latter's shooting gallery. The husband said he was shooting at a target when he hit his wife. Her sight is believed to have been entirely destroyed.

Kentucky Banker Dead.

Lexington, Ky., Sept. 26.—J. Waller Rhodes, president of the Phoenix Third National bank, and one of the best known Democratic politicians of the state, died of paralysis today.

AGAIN THE LIVE WIRES ARE CONNECTED. : : :

# IT'S THE FAMOUS Ellery's Italian Band

AUDITORIUM THEATRE MONDAY NIGHT, SEP. 30

The Musical Treat of the Season—Under the Auspices of the Young Men's Business League

Every city and every newspaper in the cities of Texas that have been fortunate enough to secure the Ellery Band have stamped it as "Superfine." Secure your ticket now.

Ask any member of the Y.M.B.L.

## Two Brides in Pan-American Romance



Mrs. Stella Chincilla Burr Bixby, above, and Mrs. Irene Chincilla Hamersley, below.

New York, Sept. 21.—Each with a dowry of \$100,000, two of the prettiest daughters of Manuel Chincilla, a Chilean merchant, temporarily residing over in Brooklyn, were married to two young Americans, Miss Stella Chincilla became the bride of Clarence Bixby Burr of South Norwalk, Conn., and her sister, Irene, was joined in wedlock to Carlos Hamersley. The young couple will go to Valparaiso to live, where they will embark in business with the father of the young women, an exporter and importer of that city.

## INTEREST IN CHINESE LOAN.

Great Demand in London for the Prospectus.

London, Sept. 26.—There was a great demand for the prospectus of the new Chinese loan issued here today. Widespread interest has been aroused in the loan, owing to the active international argument brought about by the success of the "unofficial" financiers in placing the loan with the Chinese government, in spite of the efforts of the "six powers" group of bankers.

There were, however, few dealings in the bonds, which, early in the day, were quoted at 1-4 to 1-2 premium and at the close at 1-4 premium bid.

Conjectures are rife as to how the public will receive the issue, Charles Birch, the head of the Anglo-Russian bank, who was prominent in arranging the transaction, says that while the foreign office tried to dissuade him from undertaking the flotation of the loan, officials refused to put their vote in writing.

Madrid, Sept. 26.—Signs of a possibility of a settlement of the Spanish railroad strike were apparent at a meeting of the directors of the various lines at the ministry of public works this afternoon. The directors expressed their willingness to grant the demands of the strikers if the government would help them with a subsidy or authorize them to increase their rates. The chief demands of the men would entail, they say, an addition to the wage list of \$12,000,000 for the four main lines, while the pay sheets of the rest of the companies would be augmented by \$15,000,000.

The government is considering the views presented by the directors and by the national committee of the men.

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"There is not enough salary—\$100 per month—attached to the job," said Mr. Church, "and besides that, the city does not provide an office."

Want Orozco Held.

Austin, Tex., Sept. 26.—Governor Colquitt today received from the governor of Chihuahua, Mexico, a telegram asking that the elder Orozco be held for him on a charge of theft and robbery. The telegram was immediately transmitted to Sheriff Peyton Edwards of El Paso county with the request that it be complied with. It is the governor's impression, however, that Orozco is in the hands of the federal government and that the state government will not be able to act.

Murderer Shot to Death.

Salt Lake City, Utah, Sept. 26.—Harry Thorne, aged 24, was shot in death by executioners at the state prison today, for the murder of George Farrell in a grocery store hold-up two years ago. Thorne's request that newspaper men be excluded was granted, but his plea to meet his fate with open eyes did not avail, as it was feared that the gaze of their victim might disconcert the official marksmen.

New Bank in Coryell.

Austin, Tex., Sept. 26.—The state banking board today granted a license to the Evans State Bank of Evans, Coryell county.

## WARRANTS FOR CAPITALISTS

Seattle National Bankers Are Charged With Aiding in Failure of Private Financial Institution.

Bellingham, Wash., Sept. 26.—R. W. Andrews, president of the Seattle National Bank, Jacob Furtie, R. V. Akonny and Daniel Keilaker of the same bank, are charged in an information filed in the superior court with "aiding and abetting" in the failure of W. E. Schrieker & Company, private bankers of La Conner. Warrants were issued for the arrest of the Seattle capitalists and were forwarded to Seattle.

The La Conner bank failed April 16 last with \$225,709 on deposit and small assets.

Charges are Denied.

Seattle, Wash., Sept. 26.—Jacob Furtie, chairman of the board of directors of the Seattle National Bank, said:

"W. E. Schrieker & Company owed our bank an amount of money. The Schrieker bank failed. Some of the creditors asserted that we assisted the bank in remaining open in order to use the deposits to pay us off. It is absolutely untrue. We were simply creditors, the same as others."

Title Men Adjourn.

Galveston, Tex., Sept. 26.—The nominating committee of the American Association of Title Men today recommended the election of officers as follows: John T. Kenny, Madison, Wis., president; M. P. Bouslog, Gulfport, Miss., vice president; C. C. Kasey, Tuscola, Ill., secretary and T. M. Scott, Paris, Tex., treasurer. The election of these officers is assured at the session this afternoon. This morning was devoted to a rather heated controversy over a number of accounts and at one o'clock final disposition of them had not been made. The convention adjourned today and the delegates were guests at a banquet tonight.

San Antonio Treasurer Resigns.

San Antonio, Tex., Sept. 26.—Because the position of city treasurer of San Antonio has a too meager salary attached, F. W. Church has sent in his resignation to Mayor A. H. Jones. Mayor Jones promptly named J. Frank Gallagher to fill the vacancy, subject to the approval of the council at its next meeting, October 7. Mr. Gallagher accepted and will make bond in the sum of \$100,000 today.

"There is not enough salary—\$100 per month—attached to the job," said Mr. Church, "and besides that, the city does not provide an office."

Want Orozco Held.

Austin, Tex., Sept. 26.—Governor Colquitt today received from the governor of Chihuahua, Mexico, a telegram asking that the elder Orozco be held for him on a charge of theft and robbery. The telegram was immediately transmitted to Sheriff Peyton Edwards of El Paso county with the request that it be complied with. It is the governor's impression, however, that Orozco is in the hands of the federal government and that the state government will not be able to act.

Murderer Shot to Death.

Salt Lake City, Utah, Sept. 26.—Harry Thorne, aged 24, was shot in death by executioners at the state prison today, for the murder of George Farrell in a grocery store hold-up two years ago. Thorne's request that newspaper men be excluded was granted, but his plea to meet his fate with open eyes did not avail, as it was feared that the gaze of their victim might disconcert the official marksmen.

New Bank in Coryell.

Austin, Tex., Sept. 26.—The state banking board today granted a license to the Evans State Bank of Evans, Coryell county.

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